

MENTORING SESSION #44

Name of Protégé _____
Name of Mentor _____
Date of Session _____

“That all chaplains in the military service of the United States shall hold appropriate religious services at the burial of soldiers who die in the command to which they are assigned to duty...”
Federal Statue of April 9, 1864

PROFESSIONAL:

Core area of focus: Ministry
Subject: Military Funerals
Bring to the session: - Chaplain’s Handbook for Military Funerals
- Sample memorial bulletins

- 1) Review and discuss the Chaplain’s Handbook for Military Funerals.
- 2) Review sample memorial bulletins. Discuss the chaplain’s preferred order of service.
- 3) Discuss the roles veteran and civic groups may contribute to the service (e.g. the Disabled American Veterans, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Masons, etc.).
- 4) Discuss appropriate pastoral care for the family and unit.
- 5) Schedule staff training with the NCOIC of the Honor Guard on military honors and protocols. Discuss how the chaplain can support the Honor Guard members.

PERSONAL:

- 1) What would you like your friends and critics to say about you after your death?
- 2) Describe how you want your family to honor you after your death?

NEXT SESSION DATE and TIME: